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(SBU) Per reftel, USAID Mission Abuja has reviewed the United Nations Populations Fund (UNFPA) program for Nigeria. While Post gives its clearance, USAID believes the planned budget of \$64.2 million over four years is insufficient to adequately cover the 12 states plus the Federal Capital Territory. PIASCIK